

Classrooms for the Future @ Blairsville Saltsburg School District

What Are CFF Teachers & Students Doing?

- Creating and presenting a **podcast**,
- Using a **virtual TI graphing calculator** on the **Promethean board**,
- Creating **wikis** for clubs and classrooms for **student collaboration**,
- **Submitting assignments** and **linked** Internet resources to **Edline**,
- Adding **student accounts**, planning video **projects**, and using the **writing prompt builder** in **Discovery Education**, and
- Continuing online coursework, focusing on **21st Century skills**.



IMPORTANT DATES

Nov. 24:

CFF Visit from ARIN IU28 (Saltsburg)

Nov. 27—Dec. 1: Holiday Break

Dec. 17:

CFF Visit from ARIN IU28 (Blairsville)

Dec. 8:

ARIN Technology Academy (Follow up)

Dec. 8:

Equipment Installation (Blairsville)

Dec. 9:

Equipment Installation (Saltsburg)

Dec 10:

TPR / CFF Observations (Principals)

Dec. 24—Jan. 4: Holiday Break

Jan. 19:

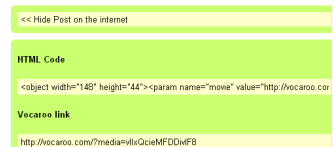
In-Service Day (Promethean Planning)

Jan. 30:

Act 80 Day

Create & Publish a Podcast in Less Than 10 Minutes

- Go to **vocaroo.com**
- Click **Record**, begin speaking, click **Stop** when you finish
- Click **Listen** to preview, click **Post on the Internet**
- **Highlight** and **copy** the Vocaroo link



- Go to your **Edline** page and sign in
- Click the **Edit** button next to the **Links** heading, then click **Add**
- Enter a **title** for your podcast and **paste** the Vocaroo link
- Click **Save & Return**, then click **Done**
- Listen to or download your podcast by clicking the link.



DISCOVERY EDUCATION BUILDER TOOLS



Quiz Builder is a Discovery Education™ *streaming* tool that helps you produce interactive quizzes for your students to complete online, at their own pace. Measure comprehension at the end of a lesson, or assign a quiz at the beginning of a project to find out what students already know.



Assignment Builder is a versatile resource that helps you build online activities and web-based projects that are stored on the Discovery Education™ *streaming* servers. You can use this tool to create student assignments that integrate a variety of digital media types. Students access assignments through the Student Center.



Writing Prompt Builder Stimulate the writing process in your classroom with thousands of images that are ready-made for declarative, persuasive, narrative, and expository writing exercises. You can search the Writing Prompt Library for images accompanied by suggested text or create your own writing prompts with the help of the Writing Prompt Builder.



DISCOVERY EDUCATION BUILDER TOOLS ARE LOCATED IN THE **TEACHERS CENTER**.

TO ACCESS THE TEACHER CENTER:

1. GO TO THE DISCOVERY EDUCATION HOME PAGE
2. LOG IN WITH YOUR USERNAME AND PASSWORD
3. CLICK TEACHERS CENTER IN THE UPPER RIGHT CORNER OF THE PAGE

To provide students access to this quiz, provide them with either the quiz code or the quiz URL :

Quiz Code

Provide students with the following Quiz Code:
QBSC2-45DC

Your students will need to go to the *Student Center* and input the code into the "Quiz Code" input box.

Quiz URL

Provide students with the following Quiz URL:
<http://students.discoveryeducation.com/genericStudentIndex.cfm?cfRascode=QBSC2-45DC>

OR

Your students will go directly to the Quiz page without needing to enter the Quiz Code.

Students can access your quiz, assignment, or writing prompt online using a generated code or URL.

To use the URL address, copy and paste the generated address to your Edline page. You can also copy the generated code and have students enter the code and their name on the following web site:

<http://students.discoveryeducation.com/genericStudentIndex.cfm>